United States Matent and Trademark the **Office** Serial No.: 09/871.176 Docket No.: 17209-601 Filed: Conf.No.: 9946 May 31, 2001 Art Unit: 2442 Applicant(s): Andrew J. R. Smith Examiner: Survillo, Oleg For: Method and System for Processing Raw Financial Data Streams to Produce and Distribute Structured and Validated Product Offering Data to Subscribing Clients

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Further to the Further to the Notice of Allowability and Notice of Allowance dated December 11, 2009 (hereinafter "Notices"), in view of the concurrently filed request for Request Continued Examination ("RCE"), and in view of the following amendments and/or remarks, Andrew J. R. Smith and/or Attorney(s) for applicant(s) (hereinafter "Applicant") request entry thereof and reconsideration of the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 22 of this paper.